

REMARKS

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated September 2, 2010, Applicants elect for prosecution the invention of Group I, i.e., claims 18-37, drawn to methods of preparing proliferation-regulated adenoviral vectors. The election is made without traverse.

To promote clarity, Applicants have amended claims 18-37. More specifically, claims 23 and 26 have been amended so that they are now in independent form, instead of depending from claim 18. Support for the amendments to claims 23 and 26 can be found in claim 18 or original claim 1.

No new matter has been introduced.

In accordance with the election, Applicants have cancelled claims 38-51. Note that claims 1-17 were previously cancelled.

Claims 18-37 are now pending in this application and prompt examination thereof is respectfully requested.

No fee is believed to be due. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 50-4189, referencing Attorney Docket No. 55801-002US1.

Respectfully submitted,

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